

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A dispersion comprising an ultraviolet light scattering agent coated with an inorganic oxide, and a dispersant.
2. The dispersion of claim 1, wherein said ultraviolet light scattering agent is selected from the group consisting of ultrafine titanium dioxide, ultrafine zinc oxide, ultrafine iron oxide, ultrafine cerium oxide, and ultrafine cerium phosphate-titanium phosphate complex.
3. The dispersion of claim 1, wherein said inorganic oxide is selected from the group consisting of silica, alumina and zirconium oxide.
4. The dispersion of claim 1, wherein said dispersant is a water-soluble polymer.
5. The dispersion of claim 4, wherein said water-soluble polymer is at least one selected from the group consisting of polyvinyl alcohol, polyvinyl methyl ether, polyvinylpyrrolidone, poly(acrylamide), alkyl modified carboxyvinylpolymer, carboxyvinylpolymer, acrylic acid type copolymer, copolymer of polyvinylpyrrolidone and α -olefin, polyvinylpyrrolidone-vinyl acetate copolymer, copolymer of pyrrolidone-dimethyl aminoethyl methacrylate polymer, ethyl acrylate acryl copolymer, cross-linked polymer of alkyl vinyl ether and maleic anhydride, styrene-acrylic acid copolymer, vinyl naphthalene-maleic acid copolymer, diallyl dimethyl ammonium chloride acrylic acid-acrylamide copolymer, acrylamide-acrylic amide-2-methylpropane sulfonate, gums, cellulose derivatives, acrylamide type emulsion thickener, and acrylic acid type emulsion thickener.

6. A cosmetic comprising an ultraviolet light scattering agent coated with an inorganic oxide, and a dispersant.
7. The cosmetic of claim 6, wherein said ultraviolet light scattering agent is selected from the group consisting of ultrafine titanium dioxide, ultrafine zinc oxide, ultrafine iron oxide, ultrafine cerium oxide, and ultrafine cerium phosphate-titanium phosphate complex.
8. The cosmetic of claim 6, wherein said inorganic oxide is selected from the group consisting of silica, alumina and zirconium oxide.
9. The cosmetic of claim 6, wherein said dispersant is a water-soluble polymer.
10. The cosmetic of claim 6, comprising 0.1 to 40 wt% of said ultraviolet light scattering agent coated with an inorganic oxide, calculated as wt% of pure ultraviolet light scattering agent, and 0.01 to 60 wt% of said dispersant, based on the total weight of the cosmetic.
11. The cosmetic of claim 6, further comprising an ultraviolet light absorbing agent.
12. The cosmetic of claim 6, which is a cosmetic of an aqueous solution type, a solubilized type, an emulsion type, a dispersed powder type, a water-oil bilayer type, or a water-oil-powder type.
13. The cosmetic of claim 6, wherein said coated ultraviolet light scattering agent is dispersed homogeneously in the cosmetic without aggregation, thereby showing an improved effect of ultraviolet light protection.
14. A cosmetic comprising ultrafine titanium dioxide coated with an inorganic oxide, and a dispersant, wherein said inorganic

oxide is one or more of silica, alumina, and zirconium oxide.

15. The cosmetic of claim 14, wherein said dispersant is alkyl modified carboxyvinylpolymer.

16. The cosmetic of claim 15, further comprising an ultraviolet light absorbing agent.